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REPORT

OF THE

ALBUQUERQUE ARMORY BOARD OF CONTROL

December 1, 1904.

REPORT.

His Excellency, Miguel A. Otero, Governor of New Mexico:

SIR: As Secretary of the Albuquerque Armory Board of Control, I have the honor to submit the following report·

The last meeting of the Armory Board was held on August 8, 1904, all members in attendance.

A site for an Armory Building was offered to the Board, this site consisting of two lots, on South Broadway, Albuquerque, N. M. These lots offered as a donation by the late Judge Trimble of this city, is favorably considered by the Board and will probably be accepted.

With regimental headquarters, regimental band, Headquarters of Second Battalion, and two companies of Infantry in this city, an Armory Building is an urgent necessity.

The quarters of No. G. in the Ell[illegible] Opera House are pleasant and comfortable but entir[illegible] ited for drill, save in the School of the Soldier. T[illegible] s of No. E. in Old Albuquerque are unattractive an[illegible] uate, despite the laudable efforts of officers and men [illegible] ake them suit the purpose. The quarters of the band [illegible] in a tumble down condition, and are poorly lighted, poorly warmed and poorly ventilated.

The Regimental Staff has no quarters, no office, no lockers, nor any of the necessaries, not to mention conveniences, for doing their work well and expeditiously.

It is of urgent necessity that such funds as are available for the purpose of erecting an armory building should be placed in the hands of the Board at the earlist moment.

Respectfully, T. L. KREBS,
Captain and Adjutant,
1st Regiment N. G. N. M., and Sec'y Armory Board of Control.